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Prosecution in case of infant marriages during the year 1896—97
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From

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

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SERIAL No. 35

To

The ~~General~~ Secretary to the
Government of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

Dated 23rd

Despatched 24th November 1896.

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General No. 1660
No. 192

Enclosure No. 1

Requesting sanction to the prosecution of the bridegroom and his father and the father of the bride Concerned in an Infant marriage case at Jemamagaripally in the Bagepalli Taluk, Kolar District.

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OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

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Dated Bangalore 23rd November 1896. 24"

Enc. 1

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE
IN MYSORE.

To

THE ~~GENERAL~~ SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith copy of a Memo received from the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kolar, reporting on the occurrence of an infant marriage at Jamamagaripally, Bagepalli Taluk, on the 1st February 1896.

2. The Police enquiry shews that the parties are goldsmiths by caste, that a girl named Venkatamma aged 6 years, 3 months and 17 days and daughter of Narnappa, was given in marriage to one Rathappal, aged about 20 years and son of goldsmith Subbarayappa, and that the marriage was celebrated in the temple of Setu Nara-Simhaswami at Jamamagaripally on the 1st February 1896. The Assistant Superintendent of Police reports that the register of births containing entry of the girl's birth is not forthcoming, but from the horoscope produced by the father of the girl it is seen that the girl was born on the 14th October 1889. This fact is corroborated by the statements of the mother of the girl, and of the person in whose house

House she was born.

3. The complaint in this Case was made by the father of the bride owing to the refusal of Subrayappa to give his daughter in marriage to him as second wife as previously arranged. The said Narnappa pleads that he was not present at the time of marriage, but the Assistant Superintendent says that there is evidence that he was present.

4. Under these Circumstances, I beg that Sanction may be accorded to prosecute Narnappa, father of the bride, Subbarayappa, father of the bridegroom, and Thathappa, the bridegroom, for an offence under section 3 of Regulation No. X of 1894.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Inspector General
of Police.

Encl to 8435 Mysore

In re infant marriage case of Yeemamagaripally, Bagepalli Taluk.

The proceedings in this case were instituted upon the receipt of a petition from Goldsmith Naranappah, to the District Magistrate, Kolar.

The girl Venkatamma aged about 6 years is the only child of Naranapah by Byana. She was given away in marriage, by her parents in the temple of Setu Narasimhaswami at Yemamagaripalli, Bagepalli Taluk, to Nathapah, aged about 20 years, son of Goldsmith Subbarayappah on Naga Bahula Bidiga of Maumatha' corresponding to 18th February 1896.

The register of births and deaths containing the entry regarding the age of the girl was not forthcoming. The horoscope produced by the Complainant himself shows that the girl was born on Asvija Bahula Panchami of Virothi corresponding to 14th October 1889.

That the age of the girl is within the prescribed period is proved by the statement of the mother and of the person in whose house the girl was born. and is corroborated by the father's petition, by the horoscope produced by him and by an agreement duly executed by the father.

who has no male issue.

One of the conditions of the marriage was that the Complainant should marry one of the daughters of Subrayapah, father of the bridegroom. The Condition fell through, as Subrayapah, after the marriage in question, refused to give his daughter to Naranappah on the ground that his daughter might be subjected to the same illtreatment as Byana, Naranappa's first wife. It is to revenge himself upon his father-in-law, that Naranappah Complained against the marriage as being against the law. He, however, makes it appear that he was not present at the time of marriage, but this is disproved by other evidence.

5 He orginally noted persons attended the marriage and speak to the details of the marriage.

Jellapah Sastri of Sonnappa Ghatta wrote the horoscope.

Solicits that the sanction of Government may be kindly obtained to prosecute the parties Concerned.

/Signed/ G. Krishna Rao.
Asstt Superintendent of Police,
Kolar District.

1. Kondaha Kaulagya (Goldsmith)
2. Venkatramana Bhat (Purohit)
3. Kodandarama Kury (Archik)
4. Lakshminarayah (Goldsmith)

"Copy"
/b/ Madhava Rao
Inspector General
of Police.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

SERIAL No. 37

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READ—

Letter No. 16-60 dated 23rd Novr 1896

from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore

reporting that on the 15th Feb-96 an infant girl of the age of 6 years 3 months and 17 days named Venkatamma, the daughter of one Goldsmith Narenappa of the Bagepalli Taluk was married to one Thathappa aged about 20 years and son of one Subrayappa at Jemamagarpalli in the Bagepalli Taluk.

ORDER THEREON No. 6417-8 J 738 DATED 3rd Decr 1896

Under the provisions of section 8 of Regulation X of 1894, the Government are pleased to direct the prosecution, for offences under section 3 of the Mysore Infant Marriages Prevention Regulation, of all persons who caused the marriage of the infant girl named Venkatamma with a person named Thathappa and of all persons who knowingly aided and abetted the same, and of the said husband Thathappa

4-12-96

General Secretary.

4/12/96.

The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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From

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
General and Revenue Depts.

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SECTION Police

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SERIAL No. 64

Dated 19th
Despatched 20th } April 1897.
Received 21st

General No. 3483
No. 399
Enclosure No.

Reporting the punishment inflicted on the bridegroom and his father concerned in the infant marriage case at Jenamaradapalli, Bagepalli Taluk.

Refers
22/4/96

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Papers put up. JMR
22-4-97

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

No. 3483 / 399 Dated Bangalore 19th April 1897. 204

Enc.

FROM

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,
GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 6417-8 / J. 738 of the 3rd December 1896, sanctioning the prosecution of the parties concerned in an infant marriage that took place at Jemamagar-palli in the Bagepalli Taluk, I have the honor to report that the bridegroom Kathappa and his father Subrayappa, were convicted by the District Magistrate, Kolar, and sentenced as follows:—

Bridegroom Kathappa to 10 days' Simple imprisonment.

Subrayappa to pay a fine of Re. 20/- and in default of payment, to undergo 15 days' Simple imprisonment.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Inspector General
of Police.

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No. 11773 / 1342 dt 28-4-97.

SECTION Police
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SER'AL No. 65

Read :-

Letter No: 3483/399 dt 19-4-97 from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore reporting with reference to Govt. Procs No: 6417-8/738 dt 3-12-96 sanctioning the prosecution of the parties concerned in an infant marriage that took place at Jemmanagatta in the Bagepalli Taluk, that the marginally noted persons were convicted by the ~~Dt Magistrate of Kolar~~ and sentenced as noted against their names by the Dt Magistrate of Kolar.

Bridegroom Mathappa to 10 days' simple imprisonment
Subbyappa - fine of Rs 20 in default to 15 days simple imprisonment

Order thereon

Recorded.

26/4/97. 27/4/97

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